

August 21st

Notes:

- Policy timeline includes a three-week process; Week One- review, week two- policy presented, week three- provide student feedback.
- Policy Sub-Committee meets Thursdays from 12-12:45pm.
- Chanley suggested a policy party to get feedback from students.
- UVU Hand sign will be discussed in upcoming meeting.

Action Items:

- Alexa + Sub-Committee will create a Policy Flow Chart
- Bailey will make handouts for Council Roberts Rules

August 28th

Meeting Mins

- Sarah Motions to approve, Seconded by JP, Approved.

Policy 232

- Presented by Melanie Lafranca
- Policy 136 Review and coming in next week.

UVU Hand Sign

- Gather Feedback from Students to better understand how they feel
- Alexa Motions to end conversation, Sarah Seconded, 1 objection, 1 abstain

Student Spotlight

- Maggie was presented by Kolton

Action Items:

- Make Policy Flow Chart available
- Exec emails athletics
- Share Weekly Spotlight assignment

September 4th, 2025

Meeting mins - Miguel 2nd by channel, approved

Student spotlight - Connor D

Policy 232 comments: Alexa read comments :

- Insert comments
- Cooper motioned to approve , Laureana sec, approved,

Policy 444

- Proposed to be deleted
- Talk with Alexa for anything big
- London motions to leave no comment, Sarah sec, approved

Motion to recess for 1 min sam, Sarah sec, approve

Policy 136 Discussion

- Cooper move to end, Chanley sec, Approved

Miguel Motions to have a discussion over a random topic to practice - Carter sec, approved,

Action items:

- Mock debate
- Sign-up for Wee Care
- Sign up for Resource Roundup

Alexa motions to table effective discussion slide, elli sec, approved, 1 abstain

Hand sign

- Kookies with Kyle results shared
- Exec is in contact with Athletics to set up meeting
- We need number based info
- Send all info not just result
- We can collect unofficial data but make it quantifiable
 - An official statement if possible
- Message Bailey
- Aim to get 1,500 students input
- Alexa motions to put 1,500 students as the goal to survey the hand sign by sept 25th.
 - Jp sec, Approved, 1 no, 1 abstain

Alexa Motion to table Weeks of welcome collection, chan sec, approved, 1 abstain

Cannot motion to give a specific person a task.

Miguel Motion to have a resolution to formally thank Priscilla, Alexa sec, approved

Elli motions to end, Alexa sec, approved

September 25nd, 2025

Announcement

- Leadership Lecture
- Feedback survey for student to voice opinion
 - https://uvu.campusgroups.com/survey?survey_uid=3c880e1c-90c3-11f0-ad2d-0e4f0b55176d
 - Open forum is not happening, this way we can have it written
- First journaling form due next week the 30th
- Graphic Design Request Oct 1st
- Tabling
 - Concurrent enrollment
- Polos this Thursday •
 - Pics done next week

Feedback Form Research:

- Carter
- Laureana
- Kennedy
- Ava
- Alexa

Oct 6th Batch Deadline

Oct 9th present to Council

October 2nd, 2025

Meeting Minutes:

Alexa moves to amend the meeting minutes. Laureana Seconded. Approved Unanimously.

- Amended:
 - o Date changed to September 25th
 - o Kennady changed to Kennedy
 - o Alexa added to Feedback Form Research Team

Abbie motioned to approve. Alex seconded. Approved Unanimously.

Policy Review

- Policy 106, 637, and 648

Amend Agenda

- Alexa motioned to amend the agenda. Sarah Seconded. Approved, 1 abstention – Sam

Policy Presentation:

- Presenter: Amanda Cooke – Virtual
- Policy 106, 637, and 648
- Comments:
 - o Sam: These are all organizational and things we need to do anyway.
 - o The presentation was clear but we had a hard time finding it in the actual policy which was slightly confusing to read.
- Alexa motion to table discussion for next week. Sam seconded. Approved unanimously.

Jp motions to adjure the meeting. Elli seconded. Approved. Two abstentions - Sam + Alex

October 9th:

Meeting Minutes

- Motion to Ratify JP, Alexa Sec, Approve unanimously

Policy 106, 637, and 648 Discussion

- No comment for 637 and 648
- 106 policy discussed
- Alexa took notes to share feedback
- Alexa motioned to share feedback. JP seconded. Unanimously passes.

Alexa motioned to amend the agenda. Jp seconded. Unanimously passes.

Kyle led the Coursework follow-up discussion

Jamie Presented on stress management.

Updates on council

Spring Break discussion:

- Move to second week of march
- March 15th to 21st 2027
- March 13th to 19th 2028

London motions to end the meeting. Sam Weller seconded. Approved, Sam Woodward abstains.

October 23rd, 2025

October 9th Meeting Minutes:

- Cooper motions to approve meeting mins, Laureanna sec, approved, Sam Woodward abstains.

Community contract review

Abbie gave Feedback form recommendations

Voting by line:

1. Motioned by Abbie. Sam Weller, seconded. Approved unanimously.
2. Motioned by Sydney. Elli Sec. Approved Unanimously
3. Motioned by Gary, London sec. approved unanimously
4. Motioned by Laureanna, Carter Sec. 13 yes. 6 No. Approved based on majority.
 - a. Gary: if the goal is to not have it, because of its nature, it can still become that.
 - b. Chanley: wants more data
5. Motioned by Elli, Miguel Sec. Approved unanimously
6. Motioned by Carter, Alexa sec. 1 yes. 15 no. 3 abstain. Does not pass based on majority.
 - a. Elli: Clarification? What are they wanting from that message?
 - b. Gary: Are they wanting the university to apologize?
 - c. Sam Weller: understand that it is our job to take feedback and share it, but this should be looked at more specifically what that accountability looks like. It's not the university's fault it happened, but that communication is where it fell through.
 - d. Abbie: don't split but keep as one
7. Motioned by Sam Weller, Sydney sec. 2 yes. 13 no. 3 abstain. Does not pass due to the majority.
 - a. Laureana: seeking clarification, worried about civil discourse wording.
 - b. Miguel: Doesn't say who the responsibility falls on.
 - c. Alexa: we don't have to use the word discourse, its onset used negatively.
 - d. London: Interested in a re-wordage.
 - e. Abbie: If the need is being met, we can figure out if it's needed for one entity to go over it.
 - f. Sam: relevant but increasing
 - g. Ava: Doesn't need to be amended, what is the purpose of the unity and events. What does the student body want? Look further into it.

Motion to open point 6 by Alexa, Sarah Sec. approved. 2 abstain. 5 min discussion.

Motion to open discussion for point 7 by London, Sydney Sec. Approved.

Student Fees presented by Marissa King

Elections Packet presented by Alexa:

- Questions and comments go to Alexa

Vote on elections packet Oct 30th.

Nathalia comments for academic calendar

Motion to end meeting proved unanimously

October 29th, 2025

Election packet.

- Motioned to approve the election packet by Laureana sec by Chanley, Approved unanimously.

Feedback Recommendations:

- Proposal for recommendation of wordage has been changed.

Motioned to approve both 6 and 7 by Sam Weller. Sydney Seconded. Approved.

Motion to end meeting, London, Alex sec. approved unanimously.

November 6th, 2025

Ava motions to approve the meeting minutes of 10/23, Sarah seconds. Approved unanimously

JP motions to approve 10/29, Ava Seconds, approved unanimously

Policy 662 - Intro and Review given by Alexa

Steven Sylvester Presented Policy 662 (Graduate Program Policy Update)

- Sams comment on the policy: Simplification sounds great, and helps more parties to know what's going on
- Discussion on having reps for Graduate programs
- Laurena motions to table the discussion- JP seconds, Approved unanimously

Student Feedback update from Abbie

- Calendar Committee update

Work on getting student feedback about changing the number of days for finals week

Discussion of new office hours for Winter of 2026

Discussion on Disagree Better Campaign

Those interested: Sarah, Laureana, Ava, Alexa, Sam Weller, Sydney, Miguel, Cooper, Alyssa, Elli, Kennedy, London, Brady

Discussion on Tabling Efforts

Discussed updates on the calendar

Elli motions to close, Laureana motions to second, Sam Abstains, Passed unanimously

Nov 13th, 2025

Meeting minutes

Chanley motions to approve, JP seconded. approved, Samuel Weller abstains.

Jaron Jones bookstore presenter.

Policy 662 Comments and Discussion

Laureana Motions to approve, Alex seconded. Approved unanimously.

Homecoming committee:

- Cooper
- Elli
- London
- Alexa

Marcom Filming

- Laureana
- Brady
- Sydney
- Alyssa
- Ethan
- Jp
- Chanley
- Sarah
- Elli
- Miguel
- Alex
- Abbie
- Kyle

Council Calendar Updates and upcoming events.

Senate Highlight.

Send in what committees you may sit on, share it with exec, so we know.

Alexa motioned to close the meeting. Seconded by Sarah. Approved, Samuel Weller abstains.

November 20th, 2025

Meeting minutes:

Motioned to ratify “by Laureana” and “JP Seconded”

- Sam Woodward abstained meeting min

Elli motioned to approve, Alyssa, Seconded, Approve unanimously.

Updates and upcoming activities are presented by each student lead.

Help Miguel share his survey to students.

Leadership Lecture Attendance:

- Sam
- Sam
- London
- Chanley
- Alexa
- Alyssa
- Cooper
- Ava
- Sydney
- JP
- Abbie
- Bailey

If you did not attend, you will have an alternative assignment.

Sarah Spadafora

- Take and share survey. Looking at April 9th, 2026. Hoping to solidify after thanksgiving break.

Sam Weller motions to close the meeting; Sydney seconded. Approved unanimously.

January 8th, 2026

In Attendance: Abbie Fisher, Alex Stewart, Alexa Herrera, Ava Ross, Bailey Chamberlain, Carter Olson, Chanley Gledhill, Cooper Despain, Elli McDougal, Ethan McBride, JP Estrada, Kennedy Johnson, Bekah Brady, Brady Crane, Miguel Mayorga, Sam Woodward, Sarah Heyward, Sydney Leifson, Samuel Weller, Londa Duffin, Gary Lai.

Absent/Excused: Kyle, Alyssa, and Nathalia

Welcome: Miguel Mayorga Welcomed and brought the meeting to order.

Approval of Nov 20th Meeting Minutes: Alexa motions to amend Sydney's name "Sid" to "Sydney", Alex sec. Cooper motions to approve, Sydney sec. Approved unanimously

Star Student: Bekah, Introduced as a new member of the Senate.

External Student Spotlight Dates are shared for each person to bring their peeps in.

Branch Updates:

Connection Branch discussed:

- Say "Hey" to UVUSA
- Connection Fair

Activities branch discussed:

- Silent Disco
- Casino Night
- Wolverine Bingo

Senate Branch discussed:

- Ask experts
- College cup
- Olympic Village/Forum
- Swag Wagon
- Meet the Deans
- Closing Ceremonies

Student Fee Introduction: Kolton

- Carter Motioned to talk about an initiative for student Fee awareness, Sec by Alex. Motion passed unanimously.
- Chanley Motioned to keep all student fee binders in the bullpen, Sam Woodward seconded; motion approved unanimously.

Adjournment: Alexa motioned to end the meeting, Sarah Sec, Approved unanimously.

January 15th, 2026

In Attendance: All Members were in attendance.

Welcome: Kyle Cullimore Welcomed and brought the meeting to order.

Approval of Jan 8th Meeting Minutes: Sarah motions to approve, Elli seconded. Approved Unanimously.

Star Student: Carter Olson

External Student Spotlight presented by Alex, Andrew Young was in attendance.

Election Season etiquette discussed.

Connection Branch:

All done for January

Activities branch:

Wolverine Bingo: Set up at 4:15. Sign up to help.

Senate Branch:

Ask the experts: Come!

College Cup: Sign-up sheet available in announcement chat

Discussion: Student Fee Awareness Campaign Discussion

- 10 Minutes of discussion
- Summary: An Instagram and in-person campaign can be beneficial.
- Executive Council will further discuss and bring to council.

Abbie: Student Fee Feedback Form is available for students to fill out for help to gather more specific information regarding student voice on student fees.

Kyle: What impact do you want to leave with this last semester? Give it your all and be engaged. What are we actually doing and how do we leave a good mark?

Student Fee Presentations:

Joel Herd

Jim Godfrey

See meeting recordings found at [Student Council Meeting-20240118_131256-Meeting Recording.mp4](#)

Adjournment: Sydney motioned to adjourn the meeting, Sam Weller seconded. Approved unanimously.

January 22nd, 2026

In Attendance: Abbie Fisher, Alex Stewart, Alexa Herrera, Ava Ross, Bailey Chamberlain, Carter Olson, Cooper Despain, Elli McDougal, Ethan McBride, Kennedy Johnson, Bekah Brady, Miguel Mayorga, Sam Woodward, Sarah Heyward, Sydney Leifson, Samuel Weller, Londen Duffin, Gary Lai and Nathalia D.H.

Welcome: Kyle Cullimore welcomed and brought the meeting to order.

Approval of Jan 15th Meeting Minutes:

- Alexa motioned to amend the meeting to have Sam Weller second the adjournment; Sam Woodward seconded the amendment, approved unanimously.
 - Sydney motioned to amend “all done for January”, seconded by Elli, approved unanimously.
- Cooper motioned to approve meeting mins; Elli seconded, approved unanimously.

Star Student: Miguel Mayorga

External Student Spotlight Eliza Earl presented by Sydney.

Senate Branch:

- Wolverine Wednesday: kick off for student voice campaign

Activities branch:

- Emerald Ball: Purpose is to show appreciation to Pres. Tuminez
- Fondue & Flowers: Sign-up sheet coming soon.
- Family Valentines: Valley of Hearts, be there!

Connection Branch:

- Take flyers for Student Lounge Survey
- Speed Friending: Valentines theme, sign up to help.

Constitution Amendment:

- Motioned by Miguel, Carter seconded, approved unanimously.
 - Miguel Mayorga, Alex Stewart, Abbie Fisher, Sam Weller, Sam Woodward, Alexa Herrera, Elli McDougal, Carter Olson, Ava Ross, Ethan McBride, Sarah Heywood, Rebekah Brady, Cooper Despain, and Sydney Leifson.

Discussion: Campus Survey name

- Alexa motions not to use the feelings and feedback form name; Sydney seconded, Cooper opposed, 14 approve, Londen abstain.

Student Fee Presentations:

- Sasha Smirnova
- Jared Sumsion

To view student fee hearings, use this link: [Athletics FY 27.mp4](#) & [Recreation and Wellness FY 27.mp4](#)

Adjournment: Elli motioned, Carter seconded, approved unanimously

January 29th, 2026

In Attendance: Abbie Fisher, Alex Stewart, Alexa Herrera, Daniel Barbier, Ava Ross, Bailey Chamberlain, Carter Olson, Chanley Gledhill, Cooper Despain, Elli McDougal, Ethan McBride, Kennedy Johnson, Kyle Cullimore, Bekah Brady, Miguel Mayorga, Brady Crane, Sam Woodward, Sarah Heyward, Sydney Leifson, Samuel Weller, London Duffin, and Gary Lai.

Welcome: Kyle Cullimore welcomed and brought the meeting to order.

Approval of Jan 15th Meeting Minutes:

- Abbie motioned to amend min to use feelings and feedback form name; Ava seconded, approved unanimously.
- Cooper motioned to approve meeting minutes; Alexa seconded, approve unanimously.

Star Student: Sarah Heywood

External Student Spotlight Alessia Grover presented by Alex Stewart.
Council welcomed Dan Barbier into council as the new Event Chair.

Senate Branch:

- Need help with flyers for Closing Ceremonies.

Activities branch:

- There is an activity each Friday night, show up.

Connection Branch:

- Come help and show up for the Election Candidate Debate and Speed Friending.

Discussion: Pin Design

- Council took a vote to recommend how they would like their legacy to be represented on the pin to the Exec.

Student Task Force Discussion:

- Council discussed questions, clarifying points, and concerns to better understand the proposed Student Leadership Task Force.
- Kyle: The purpose is to meet, discuss, and collaborate more effectively, collect broader feedback, and include more student voice.

Student Fee Presentations:

- Marissa King
- Kedric Black

To view student fee hearings, use this link: [Student Programs FY 27.mp4](#) & [Building Bonds and UTA FY 27.mp4](#)

Adjournment: Elli motioned to adjourn the meeting; Carter seconded, approved unanimously.

February 5th, 2026

In Attendance: Abbie, Alex, Alexa, Ava, Bailey, Carter, Chanley, Cooper, Elli, Ethan, Gary, Kennedy, Kyle, Bekah, Londen, Brady, Miguel, Landon, Sam Woodward, Sarah, Sydney, and Sam Weller.

Welcome: Kyle Cullimore welcomed and brought the meeting to order.

Approval of Jan 29th Meeting Minutes: Motioned to approve by Sarah, Cooper seconded, Approved unanimously

Star Student: Bailey Chamberlain

External Student Spotlight: Brenden Jenson was presented by Ava.

Senate, Activities, and Connection Branches shared updates for upcoming events

- Show up, help, and share with others.

Policy Presenter

- Amanda Cooke presented in person on Policy 633 + 635

Sarah Motioned to table this discussion; Elli seconded, Carter abstained. Motion Passes.

Carter motioned for an 8 min recess; Sam Weller seconded, approved unanimously.

Sarah, Elli, and Ava have a strike for not being back on time.

Student Fees:

Londen motioned to open the discussion for all student fees; seconded by Sam Weller, approved unanimously.

Elli Motioned to close conversation; Carter seconded, motion passes unanimously.

Building Bonds: Elli motioned to approve, seconded by Alexa.

- No comments

Motion passes unanimously

Student Center O&M: Alexa motions to approve, seconded by Sydney.

- No comments

Motion passes unanimously

SLWC O&M: Londen motioned to approve, seconded by Sarah.

- No comments

Motion passes unanimously

UTA: Alexa motioned to approve, seconded by Sam Woodward

- no comments

Motion passes unanimously

Campus Recreation: Elli motioned to approve, seconded by Chanley

- Clarification in the number presented.

Motion passes unanimously

Athletics: Sam Woodward motioned to approve, seconded by Sam Weller

- Clarification in the number presented.

Motion passes by the majority.

- In favor; Cooper, Alexa, Ethan. Sarah, Sam Weller, Elli, Bekah, Ava, Sam Woodward, Sydney, Carter, Londen, Miguel, and Alex. Objections; Gary. Abstain; Chalney and Abbie.

Arts: Sydney motioned to approve, seconded by Elli

- Clarification in the number presented. Comments and concerns shared by the council.

The motion does not pass.

- Opposed; Abbie, Alex, Alexa, Ava, Carter, Chanley, Coopere, Elli, Eithen, Gary, Bekah, London, Miguel, Sarah, Sydney, and Sam Weller.
- Abstain; Sam Woodward.

Alexa motioned to continue to the last student fee, Sydney seconded. Approved unanimously

Student Programs: Sam Weller motioned to approve, seconded by Chanley

- Clarification in the number presented. Comments and concerns shared by the council.

Motion passes by the majority

- In favor: Miguel, Alex, Cooper, Alexa, Ethan, Chanley, Ava, Sydney, Carter, London
- Opposed: Sarah, Sam Woodward, Bekah, Sam Weller, and Gary
- Abstain: Abbie and Elli.

Student Fee Resolution:

London motioned to approve; seconded by Carter, approved unanimously.

On Tuesday at 2pm, a mandatory Student Fee Hearing meeting is scheduled.

Policy Feedback: Ethan motioned to approve, seconded by Sydney, Approved unanimously

Adjournment: Sam Weller motioned to adjourn the meeting, Chanley Seconded. Approved unanimously

February 10, 2026

In attendance: All council members are in attendance.

Welcome: Kyle Cullimore welcomed and brought the meeting to order.

Student Fees:

Arts: Alexa motioned for approval of \$0.71 increase. Bekah seconded.

- Clarification in the number presented. Comments and concerns shared by the council.

Motion passes by the majority

- In favor: Sydney, Abbie, Alexa, channel, Ava, Bekah, Ethan, dan, London, and Gary.
- Opposed: Alex, Elli, Sam Weller, Sam Woody, Cooper, and Sarah.
- Abstain: Carter, Miguel, and Tyler

Student Fee Recommendations: Sydney motions to approve in its entirety; Cooper seconded.

- In favor: Abbie, Alex, Alexa, Dan, Ava, Carter, Chanley, Cooper, Elli, Ethan, Gary, Tyler, London, Sam Woodward, Sarah, Sydney, and Sam Weller.
- Abstain: Bekah

Motion passes by the majority

Student Fee Recommendation Explanations: Sam Weller motions to approve explanation, Ethan seconded.

- No comments.

Motion passes by the majority

- In favor: Abbie, Alex, Alexa, Bekah, Dan, Ava, Carter, Chanley, Cooper, Elli, Ethan, Gary, Tyler, Sam Woodward, Sarah, Sydney, and Sam Weller.
- Abstain: London

Adjournment: Sarah motions to adjourn the meeting, Alex seconded,

- Kyle: What we voted on will be fought for. We leave as one.

Motion passes by the majority

- In favor: Abbie, Alex, Alexa, Bekah, Dan, Ava, Carter, Chanley, Cooper, Elli, Ethan, London, Gary, Tyler, Sam Weller, Sarah, and Sydney.

Abstain: Sam Woodward

February 12th, 2026

In attendance: All council members are in attendance.

Welcome: Kyle Cullimore welcomed and brought the meeting to order.

Meeting minutes Feb 5th

- Sam Weller not Sam Weber
- Bekah not beech

Cooper motioned to approve mins; Ethan seconded, Approved unanimously

Meeting mins Feb 10th

- Sam Woodward abstained at end not Sam Weller

Miguel motioned to approve, Elli seconded, approved unanimously

Star student highlight: Dan Barbier and Tyler Chournos

External Student Recognition: Kristina was presented by Abbie

Council updates:

- Kyle gave an update on where our student fee recommendations are at
- show up and help when you can
- Senate reported on their trip to the capital

Truth in tuition:

Presented in person by Scott Wood

To view the presentation use this link:

Alexa motions to open to a public forum and Sydney seconded

Cooper motions to close the public forum, Sarah seconded, approve unanimously

Elli motion to adjourn, London seconded, passes by majority, Sam Woodward abstained

Meeting minutes from February 19th, 2026

In attendance: Alex, Alexa, Dan, Bailey, Carer, Chanley, Cooper, Elli, Ethan, Gary, Tyler, Kennedy, Kyle, Bekah, London, Miguel, Mandon, Sam Woodward, Landon and Sam Weller.

Meeting Minutes: Feb 12th

Sarah motions to approve the meeting minutes; Cooper seconded. Approved by the majority, Bekah abstains.

Student spotlight: Zach Blackhurst was presented by Cater.

Updates: state of the students, council social.

Policy 611:

- Colleen Sorensen presented in person.

Holding Statement Drafting Committee:

- Sarah
- Bekah
- Sam Weller
- Ethan
- Alexa

Branch Update:

- Love your Hair, Emerald Ball, Movie Night, Donny Ferry Project, and Ask the Experts are coming up.

Each council member was given time to complete the student voice surveys.

Adjournment: Sarah Motioned to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Sam Weller. Passed unanimously.

Meeting minutes from February 26th, 2026

In attendance: Abbie, Alex, Alexa, Dan, Ava, Bailey, Carter, Cooper, Elli, Ethan, Tyler, Kennedy, Bekah, Brady, Miguel, Landon, Sam Woodward, Sarah, and Sydney.

Quorum: Not present at time of roll call; quorum established later in the meeting

External Student Highlight: Feng Guo was presented in person by Rebekah Brady.

Updates

General updates are provided. Quorum was established during this portion of the meeting.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

Elli moved to approve the meeting minutes; Cooper seconded. Motion passed.

Policy 361 — Marni Fisher

- Policy was discussed and all input will be sent to Marni Fisher.

Dan moved to close discussion; Sarah seconded. Motion passed.

Policy 611 – Discussion

Elli opened discussion; Dan seconded.

- Policy was discussed and all input will be sent to Colleen Sorensen.

Ethan moved to close discussion; Bekah seconded. Motion has passed. (Ava abstained.)

Open Forum

Carter moved to open the forum; Ava seconded. Motion passed. (Dan abstained.)

- Miguel: Proposed adding a connection and belonging component to a 3rd co-chair position.
- Open forum discussion regarding adding a mission statement focused on connection.

Carter moved to close the forum; Sarah seconded. Motion passed.

Marketing Committee

- Tryston presented information about the marketing committee and discussed ways to improve how the organization markets itself and its events.
- Members include Sarah, Kennedy, Landon, Alexa, and Alex.

Additional Updates

- Each branch took time to discuss their events leading up to Spring Break.

Adjournment: Sam Woodward moved to close the meeting; Sarah seconded. Motion passed.

Meeting Minutes from March 5th 2026.

In Attendance: Abbie, Alexa, Dan, Bailey, Chanley, Elli, Ethan, Gary, Tyler, Kyle, Bekah, Landon, Brady, Miguel, Landon, Sam Woodward, Sydney, Sarah, and Sam Weller.

Approval of Meeting Minutes: Dan motioned to approve the meeting minutes; Elli seconded, Motion passed.

- In Favor: Majority
- Abstain: Sam Woodward

External Student Spotlight: Sky Palmer was presented by Dan Barbier.

Presenters:

- Victoria Cruz presented to council in person on conflict management.
- Chel Huriavi presented the new UVU App updates.

Announcements:

- Climate survey
- President survey
- Office hours survey

Adjournment: Miguel moves to end the meeting; Ethan seconded; motion passed.

- In favor: Majority
- Abstain: Bekah and Gary

Meeting Minutes for March 19th, 2026

Special Recognition

- Abbie Fisher received an award as the Student Champion.

Approval of Minutes: Elli motioned to approve meeting minutes; Seconded by Cooper, motion passed unanimously.

- In Favor: Unanimous

Recognitions

- Star Student: Alex Stewart
- Student Spotlight: Alyx Reese was presented by Miguel.

Updates

- A few remaining events are planned to close out the year
- Discussion: "What is Kyle up to?"
- Council students took a moment to share exciting news and accomplishments.

Discussion Items

- Explanation and discussion of *tabling*
- Proposal to move spring start date from Monday to Wednesday

Vote on Spring Start Date Change

- In Favor: Kyle, Miguel, Abbie, Alex, Ethan, Syd, Elli, London, Sarah, Chanley, Bekah, Brady, Sam, Woody, Ava, and Alexa
- Opposed: Sam Weller and Cooper

Additional Topics

- UVUSA / Zone changes discussed

Adjournment: Sarah Motioned to adjourn the meeting; Seconded by Sydney, motion passed unanimously.

- In Favor: Unanimous

Meeting Minutes for March 26th, 2026

Attendance: Alex, Alexa, Dan, Ava, Bailey, Carter, Chanley, Cooper, Ethan, Tyler, Kennedy, Kyle, Bekah, Brady, Miguel, Landon, Sam Woodward, Sarah, Sydney, and Sam Weller.

Approval of Minutes: Sydney motioned to approve meeting minutes; Chanley seconded; motion passed.

- In favor: Majority of council
- Abstained: Ava and Carter.

Recognitions:

- Star Students: Sadie Wise and Tryston Simek.
- Student Spotlight: Jacy Penick was presented in person by Tyler Chournos.

Policy:

- Policy 131 was presented in person by Taylor Lovell.

Survey Distribution Discussion:

- General agreement that the policy should be more strict.
- Recognition of the importance of guidance and support throughout the survey process.

Council Updates:

- Events for through the end of the year

Reminders & Expectations:

- Be explicit about availability
- Utilize sign-up sheets
- Work on transition documents and legacy forms
- Prioritize clear communication
- Show up consistently and avoid making excuses

Adjournment: Cooper motioned to adjourn the meeting, Tyler seconded; motion passed unanimously.

Meeting Minutes for April 2nd, 2026

Approval of Previous Minutes

- Motion to approve meeting minutes by Ethan; Seconded by Dan, Motion passed.

Recognitions

- Star Student: Kyle

Policy:

- 131 Comments and Recommendations
 - Sam Weller Motioned to pass; Seconded by Sydney, Motion passed.
 - All in favor: Majority
 - Elli abstained
- Policy 545
 - Will be presented next week.

Discussion Items

- Events, Transition Banquet, Upcoming cleanup, Student fees, and Program evaluations

Adjournment

- Motion to adjourn by Elli; Seconded by Chanley, Motion passed.

Meeting Minutes for April 9th, 2026

Attendance:

- Abbie, Alex, Alexa, Dan, Bailey, Carter, Chanley, Cooper, Elli, Ethan, Bekah, Landon, Brady, Miguel, Landon, Sarah, Sydney, and Sam Weller.

Meeting Minutes: Cooper motioned to approve meeting minutes; seconded by Elli, motion passed.

- In Favor: Majority
- Abstained: Sarah

Star Students:

- Rachel and Kolton were recognized as the star students

External Student Spotlight:

- Sam Weller presented student, Jacob Winegar
- Sarah presented student, Eliza Allen

Council Reminders:

- Transition Banquet April 22nd from 6-8pm
- UVUSA office space and pub room are to be cleaned by April 22nd
- Council Social April 16th at 12:30pm

Policy 545: (Presented by Shelly Smith):

- Landon Motion to Open Discussion on Policy 545; Seconded by Cooper, motion passed unanimously.
- Sam Weller motioned to end the discussion; Seconded by Carter, motion passed
 - In favor: Majority
 - Abstained: Alex

Policy 608 & 653: (Presented by Amanda Cook):

- Policy 608 – Internship-related policy
- Policy 653 – Non-tenure track faculty, new policy
- Cooper motioned to Open Discussion; Seconded by Dan, Motion passed unanimously.
- Sam motioned to amend the motion to discuss Policy 608 and table Policy 653; Seconded by Elli, motion passed.
 - In favor: Majority
 - Opposed: Abbie
 - Abstained: Landon
- Ethan motioned to discuss Policy 653; Seconded by Sarah, passed unanimously.

Sparkler Groups: Council is split into six groups to put on a sparkler event by Thursday, April 16th. Council presented their proudest moment of UVUSA

Landon motioned to share policy comments with Stewards; Cooper seconded, passed unanimously.

Adjournment: Sam Weller motioned to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Cooper, passes unanimously.

Meeting Minutes for April 16th, 2026

In Attendance: Alex, Miguel, Kyle, Bailey, Sam Weller, Ava, Bekah, Chanley, Gary, London, Tyler, Brady, Carter, Alexa, Sydney, Cooper, Dan, Sarah, Kennedy, Sam Woodward, Ethan, and Elli.

Meeting mins for April 9th: cooper motioned to approve the meeting mins, carter seconded, Motion Approved. Sydney Abstained

Ratify New council:

- Connection Branch: Miguel Motioned to approve the connection branch, carter seconded; motion passes unanimously.
- Senate Branch: Sam Weller motion to ratify the senate branch, London seconded; Motion passes unanimously.
- Activities Branch: Elli motioned to ratify the activities branch, Sam Woodward seconded; motion passes unanimously.
- Presidential Branch: Cooper motions to ratify Brooklyn Wright, Tyler seconded; motion passes unanimously.

Sparkler Group Winners:

- Group 1: Bekah, Bailey, Ethan, Carter
- Individual: Sarah, Alexa, Cooper, and Dan

Announcements: Speed Friending, Wolver Rave, Green Stock, and Share the Bloom. Show up!

Ajournment: Sam woody moves to ajourn the meeting, Elli seconded, motion passed.

- In favor: Majority
- Opposed: Miguel